

PATENT APPLICATION  
RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3725

Docket No. 48939-01060

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Scott Gubler, et al.	)	
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Application No.:	10/820,251	)	Art Unit
		)	3725
Filed:	April 8, 2004	)	
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For:	CHOPPER BLADE APPARATUS AND	)	
	METHOD FOR REFINING PARTICLES	)	
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Confirmation No.:	7499	)	
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Examiner:	Mark Rosenbaum	)	

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Final Office Action dated April 24, 2006, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the pending claims, and the further remarks herein. Entry of the following amendments place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.

**Listing of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.